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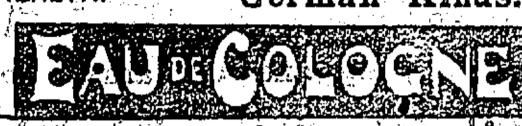
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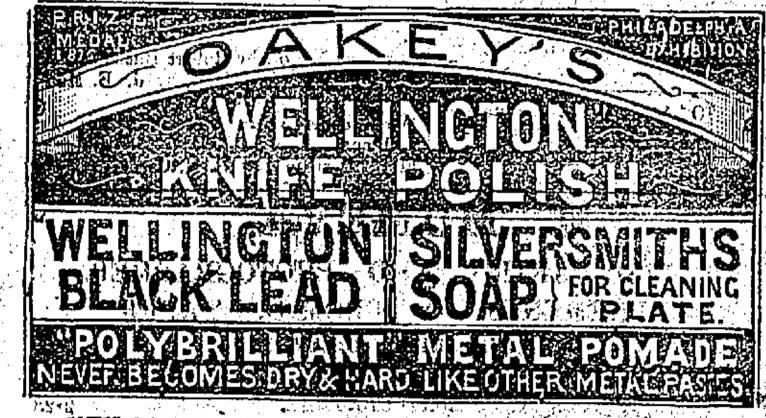
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LATE THE GRAFBIC NEWS

FORAKER AND TAFT AT

A DEADLOCK. San Francisco, March 31. The proliminary campaign for the-Republican nomination for the Presidency has come to a deadlock. Both Senator Foraker and Secretary Taft scen to have an equally strong hold on party opinion. It is not yet certain whether Senator Foraker seeks the nomination for himsel

or merely wishes to defeat Taft.

(As Senator Foraker has long been high in the party councils and no less thanthree times presented the name of the Republican nomince to the National Convention, the latter hypothesis seems more

SLAUGHTER OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN

San Francisco, March 31. The Rumanian soldiery, not content determination to stamp out the rebellion.

SOUTH AFRICA AT PEACE. San Francisco, March 31. The Damaraland disturbances have been quieted. The Germans have subdued the rebollious natives and restored complete peace to their South African colonies.

🚤 នាំ១១១៦ នា ការ RUSSIA HANGS BACK. San Francisco, April 1.

Russia is delaying the giving of an answer to England in regard to the disarmament proposition. England requested that Russia should unite with those nations which advocate the reduction of armanient expenditure in order that something might be done about it at the coming session of The Hague Conference. It is regarded as significant that the prime mover of the first Conference should now be backward in the further development of the idea.

THE PEACE CONFERENCE THREATENED.

LONDON, March 30. A despatch from St. Petersburg says that it is feared that the Peace Conference to be held in June will be dissolved. Germany insists that unless England reconsider. her proposal concerning the limitation of armaments, she—Germany—will second from the Conference. On the other hand," unless this proposal is taken (up for dis-) cussion, England will secede from the Conference. The Tear is now trying to mediate between the two Powers.

THE SITUATION IN MOROCCO.

LONDON, March 29. The French Government has formally preferred various demands against Morocco. Italy has formally approved the French action in Morocco.

THE RUSSIAN SQUADRON.

London, March 29. The Russian Squadron left England for Libau to day. The crews are highly gratified with the cordial welcome accorded the Squadron by England.

THE COLONIAL CONFERENCE.

. London, March 29. The British Colonial conference will I opened on April 15. The Premiers of various colonies have left for London. The principal problems to be discussed relate to the establishment of a federal assembly of the Empire, the enactment of a pre-ferential tariff for trade within the Empire, and Imperial defence.

> THE RUSSIAN POLITICAL SITUATION.

LONDON, March 30. A despatch from St. Petersburg says that the Russian Government continues unfavourably disposed towards the Constitutional Democratic party. It is rumoured that the Government has decided to dissolve the Duma.

GERMANY'S NAVAL NEEDS. LONDON. March 30.

According to a despatch from Berlin Count Reventlew has published a book advocating the increase of Germany's naval strength in order to extricate her from her present political embarrassment. With regard to the prospect of conflict between Japan and America and the probable attitude of England, he declares that Germany's future depends entirely upon her taking the right side at an opportune

RAILWAY DISASTER IN THE

TRANSVAAL. LONDON, March 15. A passenger train has been wrecked at Alkmar in the Transvaal. Eleven persons were killed, including Dr Adam Jameson, ex-Commissioner of Lands.

> BOER RAIDERS. LONDON, March 14.

A telegram from Capetown states that the sentences of death passed on Retici and Potgieter for having participated in the recont raid, conducted by Fereira, have been commuted to fifteen years' imprisonment. Other raiders have been imprisoned for life.

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society confirmation as Special Resolutions.

will be CLOSED from 3rd April to 13th 1. That the following alterations be made

April, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

Becrelary. Hongkong, March 14, 1907

CAMPBELL MOORE & CO., LD. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TWENTY FIRST ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of Sharewith slaughtering the undaunted and unappeared peasants, have butchered treat at the Company's Ollice, 29, Queen's
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15th April, both days inclusive. By Order, M. A. A. SOUZA,

Hongkong, March 30, 1967.

THE CHINA LIGHT & POWER CO.

LIMITED. of the sale of the sale of THE SIXTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held in the Company's Office, St. George's Building, No. 6 Connaught Road, Victoria, on WEDNES-DAY, 17th April, 1907, at 11 o'clock A.M. for the purpose of receiving Statement of Accounts and the Report of the General

Managers for they ear ending 28th February,

1907, and electing a Consulting Committee

and Auditors. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managers. Hongkong, April 9, 1907.

THE CHINA-BORNEO CO., LTD. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

MHE FOURTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Com-pany's Office, St. George's, Building, on SATURDAY, the 27th April, 1907, at 12 o'clock Noon, to receive a Statement of Accounts to the Sist December, 1908, and the Report of the General Manager and Consulting Committee and to elect a Consulting Committee and Auditor.

pany will be CLOSED from the 18th to the 27th April, both days inclusive. J. WHEELEY. General Manager.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-

THE CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE,

Limited.

Hongkong, April 10, 1907.

ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Canton Insurance Office, Limited, will be held at the Offices of the Undersigned, at King's Buildings, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkoog, on SATURDAY, the 27th April, 1907, at 12.30 b'clock in the afternoon, when the subjoined Resolutions which were passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company e on the 2nd April, 1907, will be sub-

1. That the following alterations be made in the Articles of Association, viz :-a. Thatthe definition Jardine, Matheson & Co. be eliminated from Article

mitted for confirmation as Special Resolu-

That Article No. 10 be diminated. That Article No. 11 be eliminated and the following Article substituted

therefor :-'Mesers Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld., shall be and they are hereby appointed the General Agents, of the Company so long as they shall hold two or more Shares in the Company, and the Managing Direc. tor in the East of Messrs Jardine. Matheson & Co., Id., or in his absence the person for the time being in charge of the basiness of 614 Mesers Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ld., in Hongkong, shall be the

Chairman of the Company. That the words . or the Corporation he represents ' be inserted between the word 'he' and the word 'hold' in S.S. 1 of Article No. 18.

That at the end of Article No. 95 the following words be added. And when any share or shares is or are held by a Public Company or Corporation the Secretary, Manager person for the time being in charge of the business of or Agent of such Public Company or Corporation shall be entitled to vote for such Public Compary or Corporation.

That at the end of Article No. 103 the following words be added All signatures of the General Agents may be subscribed by such Herson or persons as may from time to time be thereunto authorized by the General Agents. That the words or the be in-

serted at the end of line 2 of Article No. 109 and the words members of the firm of be eliminated from the third line of Article No. 109 and the words a shareholder of Messrs' be inserted instead and that the word 'Ld.' be inserted To be had at the CHINA MAIL' Office, between the word .. Co. and the word "or " in the 4th lim of Article That the words and to the Com-

mon Law Procedure Act 1854 and every or any act from time to time in force and applicable thereto be eliminated from Article No. 136, That the word ten be eliminated from the 5th line of Article No. 14 and the word Fifteen inserted

2. That the above resolution making the abovo changes in the Company's Articles shall come into force and take effect from and including the 1st day of May, 1907. Dated the 2nd day of April, 1907.

General Agents.

By Order

Intimations.

THE HONGKUNG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, TIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRACRDINARY GENERAL

in the Articles of Association, viz :a. That the words Company or Corporation be inserted between the word person and the word for in the second line of the definition of The General Managers in Ash. cle No. 2.

That Article No. 9 be eliminated and the following Article substituted

Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Co. Ltd., shall be the General Managers of the Company and so long as they shall continue to be such General Managers the Managing Director in the East of Mesers, Jardine, Matheson? alid Co., Ltd., or in his absence the person for the time being in charge of the business of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., in Hongkong shall be the Chairman of the

Company. c. That at the end of Article No. 94 the following words be added 'All signatures of the General Managers may be subscribed by such person or persons he may from time to time be thereunto authorized by the General Managere.

d. That from the beginning of Subsection 6 down to and including the words 'Head Office in the 6th line. of s.s. 5 of Article No. 95 be eliminated and the following words be inserted instead. So long as Mesers. Jardino, Matheson and Co., Ltd. shall be the General Managera of the Company the signature of the said Messra Jardine, Matheson and Co. Ltd. shall be necessary to all cheques drawn for any purpose on the funds of the Company at its Head Office."
That the words 'and their assigns or (as the case may be) be inserted between the word Managers and the word their in the first line of Article No. 99.

line of Article No. 100 be eliminated and the words 'and the be inserted instead and that the words to any General Managers be inserted between the word administrators and the word 'shall' in the second line of Article No. 100. That the words and to The Com-

That the word their in the first

mon Law Procedure Act 1854' in lines 5 and 6 of Article No. 129 be liminated. That the words to the pryment of bonus and dividend and te

eliminated from line one of Article No. 6. That at the end of Article No. 20 the following words be added *Every such statement of account shall be accompanied by a report of the General Managers and of the Consulting Committeess to the state and condition of the Company and as - to, the smount, (if, any), which they propose hould be carried to amount which they recommend to

be paid out of the profits by way of dividend. That Article No. 110 be expunged: That the words 'if practicable' be inserted between the words Reserve Fund and the words shall consist' in Article No. 111. as

constituted by the special resolution of the 16th day of March, 1887. That Article No. 112 as constituted by the Special resolution of the 16th day of March, 1887, to expunded and the following Article be substituted therefor namely 112. Subject to article No. 111 the profits of the Company shall be appropriated in each year in such manner as shall be determined by the yearly meeting of shareholders held in pursuance of

Article No. 64. m. That Articles Nos. 113; 114, 115, and 116 be expunged. That the above resolution making the above changes in the Company's Articles shall come into force and take effect from and including

the 1st day of May, 1907.

Dated the 2nd day of April, 1907. By order JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,

General Managers. REFORM IN CHINA,

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identity of a dog. The litigation has been

in progress for more than four years, and

the parties concerned have spent more

than a thousand yen, though the dog in

dispute is worth no more than about

Y30. Last year the disputants, Mr Hideji Onichi and Mr Yoshiyasu Mori, both of

whom are physicians, saw the folly of

further continuing the litigation and were

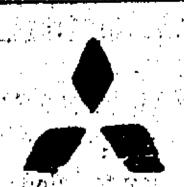
about to give the dog to a third party.

This attempt at compromise, however,

has failed, and litigation has been resumed.

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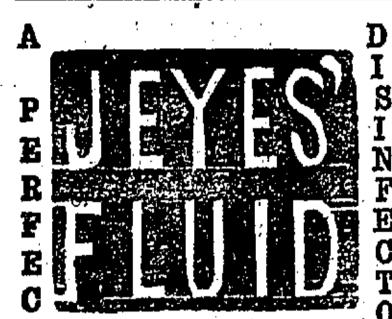
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5 QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL Hongkong, January 18, 1906.

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But your partner, you can trust her, When her "corner" 's turned and thrust her. To return like rufiled pigeon to the ark of your ombrace.

Till your manly brow is dripping With your tripping and your gripping In the final complication till the throbbing music's done.

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3 p.m. - Meeting of Campbell, Moore & Co., Ld., at Co.'s Office.

General Memoranda.

TURPDAY, April 16 :--2.30 p.m. Auction of Furniture, Stock-in-Trade Personal Effects, &c., at The Traveller's Hotel, No. 70, Queen's Road Central. Goods per Istok undelivered after this date aubject to rent. Goods per Prins Kitel Friedrich unde-livered after this date subject to rent.

WEDNESDAY, April 17 :-2.30 p.m .- Auction of Household Furniture, at No. 7 Stewart Terrace Mt. Gough, the Peak. Goods per Trieste undelivered after this date aubject to tent. Goods per Manila undelivered after

this date subject to rent, THUBSDAY, April 18:-9 p.m.—Performance at City Hall.
Goods per Gleneam not cleared on this date subject to rent. Goods per Poons undelivered after

p.m. this date will be landed. FRIDAY, April 19 -Goods per Nappot Mars undelivered after noon this date subject to rent. Goods per Shimosa undelivered after this date subject to rent.

MONDAY, April 22:-" 3 p.m.—Auction of Leasehold Property at Mr Geo. P. Lammert's Sales Room. THURSDAY, April 25;-

12.80 p.m.—Meeting of Hongkong Cotton Spinning, Weaving and Dyeing Co., Ld., at Meers Jardine, Matheson & Co.'s Office. FRIDAY, April 26 :--

12.30 p.m. - Meeting of Hongkong Jockey Olub at Oity Hall.

JATUBDAY, April 27:-Noon-Meeting of China-Borneo Co., Ld., at Co.'s Offices, 12.30p.m. -- Meeting of Cauton Insurance

The China Mail.

Matheson & Co. s Office.

HONOKONG, BATURDAY, APRIL 13, 1907.

LORD CROMER.

THE resignation of Lord Cromer, while not altogether unexpected, brought the British Government face to face with a delicate problem. For a quarter of a century Lord Cromer has been, literally, the power behind the Khedive's throne, As we stated a few-days ago the task has been anything but a grateful one and it has been remoured more than industry. Dr. Hiraga, of Osaka, recently which necessarily arise for the consideration once that Lord Cromer had expressed a desire to be relieved of his office. Although Sir Edward Grey heartily supported him when the trouble over the Denshawai executions occurred it canhardly be that the British Agent in of the most important temples at Peking. Egypt has lately felt such entire confidence that the Government would steadily uphold him as he did when the Unionists were in power. It is no secret that the British Prime Minister and many members of the Cabinet disapprove of our position apropos Egypt Lord Cromer has the reputation of being zealous and masterful man and it may easily be imagined, although he declares that such has not been the case, that he would not tolerate the pressure which the Government may have been forced through the insistence of some of its radical supporters, to bring to bear upon bim. This of course is merely supposi tion. It may be that Lord Cromer's health has really given way-he is not young man and the climate of Egypt is not particularly salubrious. In any event the position of British Agent in Egypt has been rendered vacant. The task of finding a suitable man for the post has been none too easy. Possibly absence of Mr A. Gibson. Lord Curzon may have been given the refu-al of the Agency. His recent experience in India has however, probably | Chapman, V.D., is gazetted. satisfied him for the time being with

pro-consulships or their equivalent, and

the easier and more attractive prospects

which Home politics open to him may

the burden. The appointment of Sir

Eldon Gorst, who has had wide exper-

ience in Egypt, will-go far to quell the

fears of those who would foresee very real

danger if a weak man were to succeed

thought to give the light of his counten-

comer. It may be anticipated, however,

which might arise, but a weaker man might, by taking the line of least resistance, have helped to destroy the fabric which Lord Cromer has so indefatigably striven to raise.

LOCAL AND COAST NEWS

The German Mail of the 13th March was delivered in London on the 12th April.

The trouble with the Filipines is that the matter of self-government every man wante to be the self, says the Mindance Herald.

The Arsenal outside the eastern barrier of Kirin and the forts at Lienhua which were occupied by Russian troops during the Russo-Japanese War, have been returned to China.

The Viceroy of the Minche Province has submitted a memorial to the Throne stating the advisability of transfering the control of the Foodlow Naval Arsenal to Mr. Hu Kuo-hen, and it is hoped that a high official will be sent as superintendent.

A proposal is on foot for the creation of a Special Finance Committee the business of which will be to draw up a Budget for China. Grand Councilors Na Tung and Lu Chuen-ling are spoken of as probable President and Vice-President respec-

Over twenty members of the Peking Syndicate have asked the Governor of Shansi for passports with which they ntend to make a tour throughout Shansi Province, but the Governor fenring that people may suspect them if they travel in Office, I.d., at Mesers Jardine, Matheson & Such a large number wired to the Waissen & Co.'s Office.

12.45 p.m.—Meeting of Hongkong Fire discussed with the British Minister, and It seems only the other day that you discussed with the British Minister, and I came amongst us, and we have not yet Insurance Co., Ld., at Mesers Jardine, the members requested to travel separate-forgotten the speech you made on taking the members requested to travel separate- forgotten the speech you made on taking

> The Zigzags. The Zigzags are giving a good entertainment at the Theatre Royal. The programme is being repeated to-night.

to the Peak Road near Queen's Gardens with Canton and the Railway system of has been named May Road. It is not yet! China. Through your energy and perseopen to traffic.

Instead of Cement. It is reported in Japan that kazon bas (volcanic aslice) can be employed as a sub stitute for builders' cement. Large quantities have been found in the district of Yobiko, near Karatsu, says the Nagasaki Press, and a brisk demand for it has been created by the great increase in the price of coment. Hitherto the business has been conducted on a very small scale but a company will shortly be formed with capital of one million yen to develop the inspected the district and he reports that and performance of the Governor of this the prospects of the company are distinctly

Temple Robbing. The following deplorable incident, says the China Critic, occurred recently in one A party of three foreigners were approached by a lama priest in a sanctuary and told that one of them must have stolen a small holy bronze idol from the temple. One of the foreigners exclaimed with much indignation that he would complain to the Wais wupu about the impudent accusation, and stated that the lama might search all three foreighers if he had any suspicion against them. After this the visitors intended go away, but, with extended arms, the priest blocked the way on the narrow staircase and declared that all the doors had been closed and nobody should leave the temple until the idol was found. The one foreigner, who was so loud in his protestations, again invited the priest to search them, which was done, with the result that the idol was found in the breastpocket of the same foreigner who showed so much indignation. We doubt whether the gentleman aforesaid has lodged any complaint with the Waiwupu; but are informed that the above mentioned curio thief is not the first one of his kind in robbing the temples.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL Dr. F. W. Clark has been appointed Colonial Veterinary Surgeon during the

The granting of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' decoration to Major A

badier A., E. Rogers, Volunteer Corps. The appointment of Brigadier General have decided him not to again take up Sir Frederick John Dealtry Lugard K.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O., as Governor

The Colonial Auxiliary Forces long

service medal has been granted to Bom-

Mr E. D. C. Wolfe has been appointed Second Magistrate vice Mr C. D. Melbourne who goes to the Supreme Court as Deputy Registrar and appraiser.

of Hongkong is gazetted.

RHEUMATIC PAINS RELIEVED. tents, to whom the present Khedive is ATO one need now suffer the agonizing naine of sciatio and acute rheumatism; as quick relief may to had by apply ance, are certain to attempt to make ing Chamborlain's Pain Balm. This fac has been clearly demonstrated in many things uncomfortable for the newthousands of cases. This liniment relieves the pain as d makes sleep and rest possible. that Sir Eldon Gont will be quite capable of dealing with any difficulties For asle by all chemists and storekeepers.

HONGKONG'S NEW GOVERNOR.

Coming in June.

The Hon. Mr F. H. May, Colonial Secretary, kindly furnishes us with the following cablegram received by His Excellency Sir Matthew Nathan from the Secretary of State for the Colonies:

"Referring to your telegram Lugard will-start probably first week in June. Exact date later."

TO SIR MATTHEW NATH IN.

The Citizens' Address.

The following is a copy of the address which is to be presented to Sir Matthew Nathan by the community on the day of his departure. It has not yet been decided how the address will be mounted, but it will be in book form, and will contain the signatures of all who care to place their names upon it. As announced in yesterday's issue the address can be seen and signed at several places. The terms are as

To His Excellency SIR MATTHEY NATHAN, K.C.M.G., GOVERNOR AND COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE COLONY OF HONGKONG AND IT DEPENDENCIES AND THE NEW TORRITORIES THEREOF AND VICE-ADMIRAL OF THE SAME.

Your Excellency. It is with sincere regret that we come here to-day on behalf of the Community of Hongkong to present you with a farowell address ere you leave the Colony to take British Syndicate Interested. up the new appointment to which you have been called.

the Oath of Allegiance. We have re membered the aspirations and the hopes you then expressed and have marked with appreciation throughout your tenure of office your steady progress towards their achievements.

line, but simply to supply engineers Paramount amongst these stands out the and railway material. A new road from Magazine Gap, Road | Kowloon Railway which is to connect us verance it assumed definite beginning and shape and we trust the time for its completion is not far off.

> The sanitation of Hongkong, always a momentous question. has at all times received Your Excellency's earnest consideration and the report of the Commission appointed by you to enquire into th working of the Public Health and Building Ordinances has but recently been placed in your hands. We await with great interest its publication.

With conspicuous ability and unsparing energy you have devoted yourself to the many other important problems and duties

The extension of the reservoir system the progress of the public buildings under erection; the improvements in the system of storm signalling; the control of the Colony's finances and expenditure and the steps taken by you to provide additional shelter for the boating population all show evidence of your careful and attentive rule. Stimulated by you the Volunteer move ment received a new impetue resulting in the existence to-day of a far greater number of civilians well accustomed to the use of

the rifle than ever before. In our schools, too, you have constantly inculented those scientific principles education on which all true systems of

youthful training must necessarily be We would refer to further evidence your Excellency's desire to assist advancement of the industrial works of the Colony as shown by the inauguration. the Arts and Crafts Exhibition, an Exhibition, which we trust will become an annual

We wish you had been permitted to re main longer with us to guide and encourage towards completion the many interests which have developed or progressed under Your singleness of purpose, your impartiality, your strength and ability, your unflagging industry, and the dignity with

which you have maintained your office, have commanded both our admiration and These qualities, combined with your unfailing courtesy and unbounded hospitality. have created a high regard for Your Excellency in all sections of the Community

to which is allded, now that you are going, It only remains in the name of the Colony, to bid you farewell and to wish you every success in the new career opening out before you; well knowing that in whatever part of the Empire you may be called upon to serve, its interests and traditions, in your hands, will always be

SAILORS' AND SOLDIERS' HOME.

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The Committee of the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home gratefully acknowledge the following subscriptions in aid of renovating the interior of the Home. Four or five hundred dollars will be needed. A. P. Wilder Esq. U. S. Consul

General R. Shewan Esq. General Broadwood, C.B. T. R. E. Hosking, Esq. See Woo and Co.

It has been decided to form a Central London branch of the National Union Working Journalists, to be conducted on trade-union lines.

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TELEGRAPH.

SHANGHAI TRAMS.

The Question Settled.

(From Our Correspondent:)

SHANGHAI, April 13. tranway question has been

It has been decided to allow lines to be constructed outside the Settlement. The British Consul-General has been instructed tossist the native authorities. to come to a peaceful settlement with the Municipality.

RICE THIEVES.

A Robbery Defeated.

(From Our Correspondent.) SHANGHAI, April 13. A mob of one thousand Chinese, led by the notorious ruffian Tun, attempted

starving people of Chunchow, The mob were eventually dispersed by a force from the gunboats.

to steal rice that was intended for the

PEKING-HANKOW LINE.

(From Our Correspondent.)

PERING, April 13. Arrangements have been concluded with a Brithish Syndicate here for a loan to redeem the Peking-Hankow railway. The Syndicate promises never to

THE DISAPPEARANCE OF MR

MCILRATH.

interfere with the management of the

\$1000 Reward Offered.

Mr M. Mellrath, who is at present in Hongkong sourching for traces of his brother, Mr Hugh McIlrath who disappeared from Hongkong on Nov. 15, 1906, has returned from Canton after a fruitless search and new offers \$1000 for any information that will lead to the discovery of the missing man.

At Canton Mr M. McIlrath and a Hongkong detective made most exhaustive inquiries and were unable to obtain the slightest clue to support the theory that the nissing man ever went there.

It is honed now that the larger reward may induce someone in Hongkong to give information, and every possible step is being taken to make the Chinese acquainted with the fact that a reward is being offered.

CANTON-HANKOW RAILWAY.

Rolling Stock from Japan.

(From a Correspondent.) Canron, April 12. The rolling stock for the Canton-Hankow railway apparently is to be purchased from the factories of Japan. Correspondence has already been carried on through the medium of the Chinese Consul in Japan. The carringer referred to are freight waggons. It was at first decided to order fiftyfour of these. The total price of the fiftyfour was quoted at \$216,700. This price was at first deemed excessive, as 'it did not include either the axles or wheele necessary. After some correspondence and delay, the price has been increased, which will not tend to encourage the Chinese to "talk

price" as they like so well to do. The Consul has therefore written urging the Railway Directors not to delay further, but to decide at once what is intended to be done. They seem to have decided that they will give the work to Japanese builders, but as the price has increased

they will for the present order a few less. Things appear to be changing. Once these things were ordered for the East from the West. Eron Japan itself was compelled to place her orders with builders from Europe and America. Now, however, sho le able to supply China with the rolling stock, and ne doubt, though the Japanese. will not be able to build as well as European builders, they will be able to supply Chins with carriages and trucks that will meet all the needs of the hour.

PEKING SYNDICATE.

PEKING, April 6. The movement against the enterprises f the Peking syndicate in the Province of Shansi is assuming a rather violent character. It is reported from Tayuanfu that large parts of the population are of the opinion that the Catholic Christians are taking the part of the syndicate and are 25.00 supporting them. Threats are being made that if the Missions do not take steps to provent this, all Catholic Churchesin Shansi will be destroyed. Encounters between Christians and others are already taking place continuously. The Governor of Shansi has asked instructions from the Walwurth.

> INCAUTIOUS FRUIT EATING. OWEL complaint is always more or less D prevalent during the fruit resson and as an attack is liable to come on without

warning, it is best to keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cho'era and Diarrhoes Remedy in the home. This medicine is well known for its prompt cures and many, Many have been permanently cured of is pleasant to take and can always be times serious lines is avoided by having it mists and storckespers.

BY TELEGRAPH. BY TELEGRAPH.

NATAL

The Labour Problem.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter, via Bombay).

London, April 12. The Hon. C. J. Smythe, Premier of Natal, has been interviewed by Reuter with regard to the labour problem in South Africa.

There was much feeling in the Colony, he remarked, on the Asiatic question and they (the Colonials) were desirons of having contracts whereby Indian labourers would have to be repatriated at their employer's expense at the expiration of their term of service.

LORD CROMER.

Resignation Regretted.

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter, via Bombay).

London, April 12. Sir Edward Grey's tribute to Lord Cromer (referred to by Reuter) was heartily cheered in all parts of the House of Commons, which was crowded at the

The Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour warmly associated himself with the sentiments expressed by the Foreign Secretary.

[REUTER'S BERVICE.]. Sir Edward Grey's Regret.

London, April 11. Lord Cromer, the British Agent, Consul General, and Minister Plenipotentiary in Egypt, has resigned.

Sir Eldon Gorst will replace Lord

Sir Edward Grey announced the resignation with the deepest regret and read . letter from Lord Cromer in which the latter said he was most anxious that it would be understood that the step he had taken was wholly due to his health, and that he had no political consideration of any kind. Nothing could have been more effective or more generous than the support he had received from the present Govern-

PRINCE FUSHIMI IN PARIS.

London, April 11. The British Ambassador at Paris dined-Prince Fushimi yesterday evening; the staffs of the English and Japanese Embassies, and M. Pichon, Minister for Foreign Affairs, were present.

BRITISH SHIPPING.

Employment of Aliens

London, April 11. At the Colonial Merchant Shipping Conference in London, a resolution opposing the employment of Lascars and Chinamen in vessels owned or registered in Australia, and New Zealand, was withdrawn at the request of the Imperial Delegates, the Colonial Delegates reserving the right to legislate on the question.

DESTROYERS IN COLLISION

LONDON, April 11. The Destroyers "Colne" and "Falcon collided this morning in the Channel : both are extensively damaged and have put in to Dover.

AMOY TRADE RETURNS.

(From Our Correspondent)

AMOY, April 11. From March 30th to April 5th, 48750 gallons of Borneo oil in bulk; 59350 galls. of Sumatra cil in bulk; 30150 piculs of Beancake; 10460 picule of American Flour; 7290 picule of Rice, 1139 picule of Beans | fortnight ago on board the s.s. Haiten for and Peas have entered the Port as Imports. The chief Export has been 12000 Homp Bage and 1000 piculs of paper.

THE DEPRECIATED CURRENCY.

Vicercy Chou's Intentions.

(From a Correspondent.)

CANTON, April 12. from Peking to examine into the question unhappy outbreak in Lien Chau some two comes about. In payment for each 10 China in the articles of the association. that at last the Viceroy has decided to see has ordered that the particular temple out one new Union share standing in our was carried. to it that the touch of the coins minted in involved shall be closed and the idels books at \$100 paid up and a cash certificate Canton shall be considerably improved. destroyed. But though these orders were fit of \$556 which is the premium we receive He has written to Mr Fong, the director of issued the "Shepherd of the District," as on each new Union share issued. We the mint, and ordered that more silver the Chinese call the local officials, did not obtained 22800 China Traders' shares on shall be used in the minting of ten and like to undertake the job. It would seem twenty cent pieces. Of course there is like losing face, and in addition, he and Traders' shares for cash. We placed the usual verbiage about the necessity of the people would lose a good romping on the market at the end of the working for the benefit of trade and traders holiday. He therefore shuffled and deceiv. year the remaining 120 Union shares at and not to get profit merely, when coining ed the Viceroy.

he present condition of affairs?

THE THAW TRIAL

The Jury Disagree.

(From Our Correspondent.) London, April 13.

The Thaw trial has been concluded. As the jury found it impossible to agree it was discharged.

A re-trial has been ordered.

[REUTER'S SERVICE.]

LONDON, April 11. . The jury in the Thaw trial not being able to agree on a verdict were locked up all night.

AN UNKNOWN MISSION

Tong Shoa Yi Goes to America.

(Chinese Mail's Service.)

Peking, April 12. the Throne for permission for the dos-It is not known what the mission is intended for.

CHINA'S COUNCIL.

Princes at Variance.

(Chinese Muil Service). .

Pekino, April 12. Council is strongly criticised by Prince

The appointment is yet undecided. Prince Chun is the Emperor's brother, Germany after the Boxer Trouble on a mission of apology for the murder of the German Minister to Peking, Count Von Kettler. Prince Chin is the son of Prince Ching, President of the Grand Council-

(Chinese Muil's Service.)

sitates his prolonged retirement from the Grand Council, all State Affairs are to ascertain the real business son and Chak Hung Ki, the Prime Prince Chun, Duke Tsai Tse, and Tit Liang are all up against him.

CURRENCY COMMISSION

Taotai in Trouble.

(Chinese Mail's Service.)

who is now investigating the Fokien Mint, wires Peking the discovery of the recommending to hand the officer in charge of the mint (Taotai Ma) to Fukchowfu for trial.

(From a Correspondent.)

sions and things pertaining to these

The practical thing is, however, will there measures. He has relieved the local for the year 1905, and charging it with 5 | the Company's Offices, Queen's Buildings, be better coins, and shall we be able to get official of his duties, and has sent another per cent interest for 1906 on the new this afternoon. There were present Mr twenty cent pieces that firms will take and to take his place, and ordered that among so be saved the loss and the aggravation of the first duties to be done is the carrying out of his provious order.

The Union Insurance Society of Canton, 1d.

The thirty-fourth ordinary meeting o shareholders in this Company was held and G. Balloch (directors), Mr W. F. W. Hornby, and D. B. Murray.

Bets as well as our liabilities. produced another result which perhaps

IMPERIAL COURT

Fight for Power.

PERING, April 12.

PEKING, April 12.

Chan Pik, the Currency Commissioner,

[Chan Piki, who was sent by the Board of Finance to investigate the Currency of China, has been staying at Canton for some time. He left Hongkong about a Swatow, whither he went to examine the Fokien Mint to complete his mission. While in Hongkong, he was entertained by the Fokien community at the Tung Tin Hotel-ED., C. M.]

AFTERMATH OF LIEN CHAU.

CANTON, April 12.

is carried on, and more of the same kind. The latter has now taken vigorous account the dividends paid and received helders of the above Company was held at

COMPANY P EFFINGS.

the Soci-ty's offices at moon to-day. Mr A. G. Wood presided, others present being Mesers E. Goets, G. H. Medhuret, A. Forbes Balance Sheet which perhaps requires companies it has been necessary for us to and G. Balloch (directors). Mr W. The chief Saunders (secretary), Messrs. F. P. Hett, H. Humphreys, J. J. Leiria D. R. Law, value of the respective shares on the debit side of the balance sheet and S. G. Newall, A. J. Raymond, E. C. Lane, the 31st December, 1905, after deducting the assets to the credit side, that the The 87th Company wonthe Company shield, The Secretary read the notice calling Union chares issued in part payment for main Sterling assets and liabilities instead the meeting.

the report was issued we have invited Mr Goetz, of Mesara Arnhold, Karberg and Co., to join the Board, and he has accepted the appointment. I may mention also that our old friend, Mr Siebs, has gone home for the summer. We have granted him leave of absence, and hope to see him back in November. The report has been in your hands for

some weeks and I will therefore with your permission take it as read. We are dealing on this occasion with the final profits for the year 1905 and the interim figures for the year 1906. At this time next year we hope to meet with the final profits for the year 1908 and the interim figures for the distribution of profits beyond declaring The Board of Education memorialises annual meeting in October 1905. You will patch of H. E. Tong Shoa Yi to America. than before, namely because we found it necessary to let each year run off properly until all the risks had expired instead of closing it off at the end of June In the succeeding year. I mention this, because, for purposes of proper comparison between this report and previous reports, you must go back to the balance sheet of 30th June, 1905, and must look upon last year's report as a sort of interim report. Another point which must be borne in mind in comparing the dollar figures is the extraordinary rise in the sterling equivalent of the dollar or rather the corresponding fall in the dollar equivalent of the pound sterling. On the The decision of T. I. M. the Empress | 30th June, 1905, the dollar stood at 1/10id. business is transacted in gold currencies and most of our funds are held in gold, so you must turn our accounts into gold before making comparisons. Another ele ment is our purchase of the shares in the China Traders' Insurance Company arrangements with the company have

Dowager and Emperor as to the advis- on the 31st December, 1905, it stood at ability of placing Prince Chun on the 2/3d. As you are aware, most of our who, it will be remembered, was sent to which has largely increased our as you may not have looked for, namely a considerable reduction in our working account figures and I would like to draw your special attention to this last point. in order to make full use of our property in the China Traders' Insurance Company, and to free ourselves from the waste of labour and the complication of exchanging reinsurences, and in order to make certain TROUBLE. of providing adequately for the interests of the few remaining shareholders of the China Traders, we found it desirable to pool the joint business between the two

though we knew that the direct business am only sorry that we cannot express our The Chairman :- That concludes the Williams (the latter being perched on the of the China Traders would not amount to anything like one third of the whole. Owing to the yet delicate state of makes no real difference what proportion is taken because the Society owns over 95 Prince Ching's health, which neces per cent of the China Traders' shares and what we lose on our Underwriting Account we make on our Investment. In order being discussed between Prince Ching's are handling you must add to our figures those of the China Traders Insurance Company. The nott premium Minister, in the latter's residence, which of the two Companies for 1906 is 85,222,000 or £591,000. With this explanation I will has given rise to a speculation that leave the usual comparison of our present

Prince Ching (Prince Ching's Son) will figures with those of last year and confine my further remarks to the present report. succeed his father. As a consequence We have first to deal with the 1905 Working Account and we are pleased to be able to recommend a final dividend of \$12 per share ling. and an addition of £30,000 to the Sterling Reserve Fund, besides leaving some 8450,000 to be carried forward against outstanding liabilities. This final dividend of \$12, makes, with the interim-dividend of \$30 paid last April, \$42 per share for 1905 against \$40 per share for 1904, another step forward, the thirteenth increase in dividend in thirteen conscoutive years. It is only by nursing our resources that we can continue this steady progress and I hope shareholders will be satisfied.

As regards the balance carried forward F. Smyth, G. Y. V. Vernon, A. C. More, the Board has already utilized part of T. S. Forrest, Ho Fook, Chao Leep Chee, this by voting the staff a bonus of Lo Cheung Sui, Ho Wing, Ho Tang Ting. 15 per cent of a year's salary in the form of an addition to the provident been read. Mr Balloch moved the first fund of each member and I hope this will resolution approving of certain alterations meet with your approval. We next come to in the articles of association. existence of corruption, and memorialises 1906 account. The ultimate profit can only be guessed at but as the loss ratio is almost exactly the same as it was for 1905 account at this time last year we may hope for a very satisfactory result, and this spite of typhoons here and some very heavy losses in the Australian trade. Our London account is particularly good and balances the less favourable outturn in other quarters. This is the more satis-

factory because 1906 has had no assistance from outside sources whereas 1904 received a considerable accession of premium from war risks, and 1905 got the full benefit of the alteration of our system of transferring risks, taking all the outstandings from 1904 and passing none on to 1906. We recommend the payment of an interim dividend of \$30 per share for the year 1906, making with the final dividend of \$12 for 1905 \$42 per share to be paid now to shareholders. (directors), H. N. Mody, S. Michael, C. We also recommend the payment of the H. Rose, R. Miller, E. J. Moses, J. C. usual bonus to contributors and we carry forward the balance. As regards our new Newall, J. S. Perry and J. Barton (secy). It will be remembered that idol proces- issue of Capital and the profit accruing The notice convening the meeting having from the revaluation of our investment in been read the China Traders Insurance Company, I Some time ago a Commissioner was sent processions had much to do with the hope it is clear to you all how this profit first resolution sanctioning the alterations

> this basis, issuing 2280 Union shares, We also bought 113 further China \$750 per share equal to a premium of \$650 per share. After placing to the same

ing the value of the new Investment | Carvalho, A. E. S. Alves, E. C. Lane, and at any future time if it should be D. B. Murray. found necessary. Without the assistance The Secretary having read the notice of this accretion the Investment Fluctuation Account would have been on the wrong side, owing to the depreciation of Consols and other Investments during the accounts are presented to you this year in twelve, months. I think I have already the same form as those of the Union Insurdealt sufficiently with the Balance Sheet | ance Society of Canton, Limited. In view and accounts but there is one item in the of the close connection between the two them. The intrinsic values have been of showing only the dollar equivalents. The Chairman said :- Gentlemen, since accurately taken out on the basis of am sorry the working account for the a duly audited statement has been issued has not produced a better result.

redoem the cortificates now instead of waiting for the result of further settlement . any further information you may wish for. No questions being asked, the Chairman proposed the adoption of the report and

adoption of the Report and Accounts for result of the twelve months ending 30th of thanking and constatulating our Chair. ponsation to staff has been met by a transannual meeting last April we made no man on his very able, exhaustive and fer of \$150,000 from Reserve Fund which 1905, as we had already dealt with the good enough to enter into such a balance. Apart from the Interest and remember the reason for putting off our ask. It cannot but be a source of great item in the Working Account of the satisfaction and pride to us all to be Union Insurance Society of Canton, Interested in such a wisely managed and Limited. The reason of this is that under prosperous company as the Union Insurance our agreement with the Union the joint Society of Canton, and I am sure that I am underwriting business is pooled by the men, when I say that our very sincere thirds and one third. We recommend an inthanks are gratefully offered to our terim dividend of \$3 per share and a bonus Directors, to our gifted and highly of 20% to contributors. The remainder of esteemed Secretary. Mr Saunders, to our | the balance will be carried forward and, splendid staff here and elsewhere, and judging from the previous results of the lastly to our Agents scattered all over the Union's Underwriting Account compared world, for the conspicuous ability they have with the present figures, there should be ever exhibited in the management of our enough left at this time next year to affairs. Gentlemen, it is not the privilege pay a final dividend of \$1.50 per share of shareholders in many companies to be in- and to replace most of the amount which vited to meet their Directors year after year has been taken from Reserve Fund and to be presented with figures showing ever For some years to come, shareholdour fortunate position, and it is made still than \$4.50 per share as the Reserve Fund 2/0fd., and on the 31st December, 1906, at more agrecable and satisfactory by the and Reinsurance Fund require to be added knowledge that, while we have been to considerably before the dividend can be regularly receiving enhanced dividends, increased. 22928 of our shares are now our Reserves have also, at the same time, held by the Union Insurance Society of been slowly but surely mounting up until Canton, Limited, who also in terms now we are in the proud position of seeing of our agreement with them take our financial position second to none in the charge of the underwriting manage-Marine Insurance world. I congratulate ment. The arrangement under which the our Directors and the management on the China Traders got one third of the joint eminently successful result of their policy, business is we consider a very beneficial and I would urge them to continue in the one for the holders of the remaining shares Company was a spirited contest, one of the Sorgeant Bayliss, 28 ft. 4 in; Sergeant path they have followed so consistently in the Company whose interests we think best of the meeting. For the first thirty Williams, 24 ft. 7 in.; Sergeant Turner, year after year—that policy, Gentlemen, is have been fully provided for. Unless seconds the men lay practically motion- 22 ft. 10 in.; total 75 ft. 9 in. 83rd Co. : summed up in four words: Reserves first, snyone has any questions to ask I will Dividends afterwards. I would further propose that the Report and Accounts be Then the 83rd with a couple of magnificent geant Sutton, 25 ft. 22 in. ; Sorgeant Tuerscongratulate the Directors and management | adopted. on the highly successful issue of their negotiations for the absorption of the China Traders Marine Insurance Co .- controlled

by us. Both Coys, will greatly benefit in every way, and I think we may look forward to an era of continued and clusion, Gentlemen, I would like to say that I am especially pleased, as I am Companies, and we selected the proportion sure you all are, to notice the Directors' decision to present our Staff with a bonusmuch more convenient than any other, al. they more than deserve our thanks, and I Mr. Saunders, seconded by Mr. E. C. Lane. for the spectators. In it Vernon and kindly feelings towards them more ade- business of the meeting, gentlemen. I thank former's shoulders) won from Riley, and quately than by offering this small token you for your attendance. Dividend warrants | West/ The riders were armed with large | R. C. V. O., C. M. G.; His Excellency of our gratitude and esteem. Gentlemen, will be sent out on Monday.

I have much pleasure in seconding the adoption of the Report and Account for 1906 as presented. The motion was carried nem. con. Mr Humphreys proposed, and Mr. Newall seconded the re-election of Messrs. G. H. Medburst and A. G. Wood to the Board of Directors. Carried

On the motion of Mr Humphroys. seconded by Mr Newall, Messrs. W. H. ing off and on in view of the possibility of Potts and A. R. Lowe were reappointed finding good coalfields in the Two Kwang. The Chairman-That is all the business

China Sugar Refining Co. An extraordinary meeting of the China Sugar Refining Company, Ltd., for the purpose of confirming the two resolutions passed at a previous special meeting, was held at the offices of the Company this afternoon. Hon. Mr. W. J. Gresson presided, and there were also present Sir Paul Chater, Messrs F. Maitland (directors) W. A. Cruickshank, G. H. Balloch, A. Rodger, exacted.

The notice convening the meeting having Mr Smyth seconded and the resolution

was passed on the motion of Mr Vernon, seconded by Mr Forrest. The Chairman-Thank you for your attendance, gentlemen.

Luzon Sugar Refining Co.

An extraordinary general meeting shareholders in the Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Ltd., to confirm resolutions sanctioning a change in the articles of association, was held this afternoon at the offices of the Company. The Hon. Mr W J. Gresson presided, and there were also present Messrs A. G. Wood, H. P. White Peter. A. P. Soares, E. S. Kadoorie, S. G.

Mr Miller moved the confirmation of the of the coinage in Kwangtung. It seems years ago. It appears that the Vicercy Traders' shares worth \$900 we have given Mr Newall seconded and the resolution

The second resolution as to the date was carried on the motion of Mr Peter, seconded by Mr. Mody. The Chairman-I am much obliged for your attendance, gentlemen.

China Tradors' Insurance Company.

The 41st ordinary meeting of share-Investment, we had left 81,230,688.14 A. G. Wood (Chairman), Messrs A. Haupt, which we dealt with as shown in the A. J. Raymond, E. Goefz, C. R. Lenzmann, report, transferring \$1,000,000 to the and E. Ormiston (Directors), Mr W. J. Silver Reserve Fund and \$230,688,14 Saunders (acting Secretary, Messra, D. W.

to the Investment Fluctuation, Account. Murray, H. C. Gray, H. J. M. Carvalho, This gives us some margin for reduc- B. M. Cunha, V. E. Remedies, J. A.

calling the meeting the Chairman said :--

for estimated liability under Cash Certi- alterations so far as we are concerned are, ficates. This is the balance of the intrinsic | that we have transferred the liabilities to from the value of the China Traders' assets are classified somewhat differently. shares purchased the value of the new and that we now show in Sterling our settlements to the 31st December, 1906, and eight months ending 31st. December, 1905, to holders of Cash Certificates, together dividend of \$3 per share for the eight with a notice from the Society offering to months is equal to \$4.50 per annum which is the same as in previous years, and the same bonus was paid to con Before proposing the adoption of the tributors as in previous years. After report and accounts I shall be glad to supply | contributing \$11,685 towards the componsation to staff, the account leaves balance of 841,342 to be transferred to Underwriting Suspense Account against 861,000 transferred to this account Mr. Law, in seconding the motion, said : last year, so that the result may be said Gentlemen-In rising to second the to be almost exactly proportionate to the 19 6 as presented, I take the opportunity April, 1905. The remainder of the cominforming speech in further explana- we hope meets your views. The Working tion of the Accounts. He has been Account for 1906 shows a very satisfactory careful analysis of them that there is Transfer Fees each of the items is prolittle or nothing further to either say or cisely one half of the corresponding 83rd and 88th Company. The latter lost but feebly voicing your feelings, Gentle- two Companies in the proportion of two increasing prosperity. This is, however, lers must not expect a higher dividend

There were no questions, and the crossing the line. "Only eight more!" Chairman proposed the adoption of the yelled the 83rd's supporters, but those report and accounts as presented. Mr eight took some shifting, for the 87th tributed the prizes, amid cheers. Saunders seconded, and the motion was turned on the rope and recovered almost . At the conclusion cheers for Mrs Kent,

Mossrs E Ormsby and C. R. Lenzmann to response to the coach's "left-right, leftthe Directo ate. Mr Lane seconded and right," the 83rd began to carry off the shareholders agreed. Messrs H. U. Jeffries and A. R. Lowe lover, the time being 5 minutes 40 seconds. were reappointed auditors on the motion of . The Mop Fight was an enjoyable item

COAL IN SOUTH HINA.

Mines in Kwangsi.

(From a Correspondent.)

There has been a good deal of prospect-Some likely ones have been discovered in of the meeting, gentlemen. Devidend | Kwangei, and a company has been formed warrants will be ready on Monday morn- for some time with a capital of a hundred thousand taels. The plant has been laid, and apparently coal will soon be ready for the market. At any rate some extensive correspondence has been carried on recently in view of securing from the officials exemption from all interference on the part of the Likin branch, so that once the necessary tax is paid at the time of ship-

ment there shall be nothing further The Governor of Kwangsi has been writing to the Viceroy in regard to the question, and there is every probability that matters will be arranged, at least on

paper, as the mine owners desire. What will happen in actual life is another thing, for the Likin officials do not like to The second resolution fixing the date see ship loads of cargo passing before their when the articles should come into force offices without imposing a tax authorized Zamar Khan, 1; Abkar Khan, 2; Lal or unauthorized.

> China, though unfortunate that these said coal fields are to be opened so far away In the run home Bayliss won. from Hongkong.

VICEROY YUAN'S ARMY.

It may interest some of our readers to starters and when they arrived to where know that the much discussed Peiyang their boots were heaped together they began Ribeiro 2. Army, as H.E. Vicercy Yuan Shih-k'ai's to throw those that did not belong to them modern drilled troops are officially as far away as possible. Naturally this designated, consists of a total strength of caused laughter. 75.078 officers and mon, says the N.-C. Dally News. These are divided into Six Divisions, or "Chen," each "Chen consisting of three Brigades, or "Hsieh A Brigade is composed of three Regiments, or "Piao," and those are again divided into three Battalions, or "Ying."

A "P'si" consists of three P'eng," or tents, fourteen men to each tent, or moss. The above aggregates, of course, include both officers and men. Each Division, or "Chen," is composed of 10.436 soldiers, 748 officers and 1,329 men belonging to the Transport corps, this number being attached to each Division.

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SPORTING. The R. G. A. Sports.

Yesterday afternoon the annual regi-Gentlemen-I will with your permission montal sports of the Royal Artillery were take the report as read. The report and concluded, and the meeting will go down as one of the best ever promoted by the military in Hongkong. Throughout the meeting all the events were keen and closely contested and the rivalry between the three companies of the Artillery gave great deal of interest to the competitions. though at one time it seemed as though they would succumb before the 83rd. At the end of the first day the 83rd led by twelve points from the 87th, the 88th being 7 points further away. Winning the heavy weight tug-of-war brought the 88th Company up into first position and towards the Slight build; Fair hair and close of the day the 88th were 70, 87th were 78 and the 83rd were 56 and all that remained to score from was the team race side of the face. and the second prize in the tug-of-war. The 87th won the team race (25 points), the 83rd took second place in both the going to Cauton. team race and the tug-of-war (25 points), so that the final positions were: -87th Company 103 points; 83rd Company 81 points and 88th Company 79 points.

As is usual the most interesting events vesterday were the tugs-of-war, there being three. In the first the heavy-weights opposed each other, the finalists being the the toss and had the sun in their faces. At the signal from the referee (Rev. G. Searle) the two teams came down with a thud, the 83rd getting a trifling advantage, but this was speedily regained by the 88th. For a minute neither team appeared to gain anything and then both turned simultaneously. Again the 88th gained slightly and at the end of the fourth minute had two of the 83rd across the line. A couple more turns by each team did not stay the 88th's march, though once the 83rd raised the hopes of their supporters by gaining perhaps three yards. However, in six minutes seven seconds it was all over and the 88th Company won splendidly contested pull, in which the losers put up a game struggle.

The final for the light-weight teams, in which the 83rd and 87th Companies met was won by the 83rd after a pull lasting 5 minutes 37 seconds.

The pull for second place in the heavy- 83rd Co. competed in putting the weight weight division between the 83rd and 87th with the following result:-H. K. S. B: less watching for the signal from their coach. | Sergeant Longbottom, 27 ft. 8 in.; Serheaves gained several yards, two of the 87th ley 24 ft. 1 in.; total 76 ft. 101 in. all they had lost. The 83rd followed their | Colonel Kent, and Captain Butcher closed Mr Saunders proposed the re-election of example and stayed them. Then in the proceedings. others and gradually they pulled them all

> mope which had been well dipped in Major-General B. G. Broadwood, C. B. coloured powder and they endeavoured to Commodore H. P. Williams, R. N.; and knock their opponents down. During the. fight all the competitors were roughly handled and were covered with the colour from the mops, giving them an exceedingly funny appearance. The first and second Gray, A. McKirdy, F. W. White and M. pair were from the 87th Company.

. The Sack Fight final was between the 83rd and the 87th Company and the former won, though only after a hard struggle. When the last three were left standing two were 83rd men and one 87th and in defeating the 87th man, one of the 83rd fell, leaving one man only to represent the

Other results are :-HIGH JUMP. Seven started, but 4 ft 9 in. proved a stumbling block to most and only four remained in for 4 ft. 10 in. Here Sergeant Bayliss and Gunner Collins fell out, while Gunners Cast and Thomas both cleared it. Thomas failed at 4 ft. 11 in. and Cast won.

Gunner Cast, 87th Company,...... Thomas, 88th ,, ... Collius, 87th ... 3 SERGEANT'S RACE: Four started. Sergeant Bayliss Tuersley

Master Gunner Torr OBSTACLE RACE (native soldiers). In this race, through not knowing the course properly, the two leading men allowed themselves to be caught and beaten. How ever, Captain Butcher came to the rescue and awarded them both prizes equal of what they would have received had they continued

It is good news, however, to hear that in this final and Thomas got slightly the there is some likelihood of getting some con- better at the start rising to the first hurdle siderable amount of coal in the South of a trifle ahead. By the third hurdle Bayliss and Canter had almost captured him and Wishart 3. the trio cleared the last hurdle together.

> Sergeant Bayliss 1 Gunner Canter, 87th Co. ... 2 Gunner Thomas, 88th Co. ... 3 Gunner W. Brown, 83rd Co... 4 Boor RACE: There was a crowd

Gunners Price, 83rd Co. 1; Cook 87th Co 2: Myers 87th Co. 3; Williams 87th Co. 4. TEAM RACE: Three teams, one from each Company, started. Harvey (87) took the jump to the front at the pistol but Baker (83) soon headed him and although Harvey ran a fine race he had to finish two yards behind Baker, while the 88th Com-Tai," divided into three sections, or pany were a long way in the rear. Cast (87) soon wiped off Brown's (83) lead and run- "Do you know," said a Sunday school ning finely he gained at least eight yards I teacher, addressing a new pupil in the for his team. Williams (87) took up the linfant class, "that you have a soul?" running and kept Welling (83) from gaining "Course I do," said the little fellow, anything on him, finishing about fifteen placing his hand over his heart; "I can yards to the good. The last men of each feel it tick:" team (Andrews 87, Leader 83, and Thomas

88) then went in the order mentioned. Andrews having a fine lead which he held to the finish. Thomas made a splendid ATOW is the time to get rid of that run and although hopelessly out of it from Wough, for if you let it hang on, no HETHER resulting from a sprain or the start he all but picked up Leader, one can tell what the end may be. Others Time 4 min. 1 2.5 seconds. Each man ran | have been cured of their coughs very

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BAND RACE. This was no race at all and the smallest member of the band was doclared winner. 220 YARDS OPEN RACE. For this race a field of thirteen turned out-too many for the width of the track. As they came down Drummer Roberts of the Middlesex led from Gunner Baker (83rd Co.), with H. L. Garrett, R. W. Pearson and J. H. Mead close behind in the bunch. Then Pearson fell and a few seconds later Garrett put his foot in a hole and came down heavily. The finish was a good one for Baker took command a couple of yards from home and won by about a yard and a

was close up. Time: 25 seconds. It is unfortunate that Garrett and Pearson fell, as both were running well. OFFICERS' RACE :- Major Stephenson, 1 Major Kelsall, 2. CONSOLATION RACE: Gunner Welling, l ; Gunner Evans, 2 ; Gunner Debenham, 9. Boys' RACE: Master Mitchell, 1

Master E. Little, 2; Master F. Little, 3.

half, while Mead threw himself past

Roberts and beat him on the tape. Clease

GIRLS' RACE : Misses Maud Barry, 1; Evelyn Sutton, 2; Gladys Little and Nellie Thorps, tie for third place. In the Sergeants' Mess Shield Comnetition the H. K. S. B. Mess and the

The Staff team thus won the competition. Mrs. Kent (wife of Colonel Kent) dis-

V. R. C. Sports.

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Judges: Mr W. Armstrong, Eng. Ligut. Greenwood, R. N., Messrs T. C. A. A. Souza. REFEREE: Mr A. Rodger. HANDICAPPERS: Eng. Lieut. Greenwood, R. N., Dr F. H. Kew, Messrs A. McKirdy, R. W. Pearson and T. C. Gray.

CLERK OF THE COURSE : Mr E. G. Jor-STARTER: Mr E. M. Hazoland. Time-keepers: Mr. R. W. Pearson and Dr F. H. Kow. Hon. TREASUBER: Mr H. A. Seth.

HON. SECRETARY: Mr F. Lammert. TENTH MEETING. The Victoria Recreation Club hold their tenth athletic meeting on the Hongkong Football Club's ground to-day, commencing shortly after one o'clock. At that time there was only a small attendance but during the afternoon this was gradually added to until there were a great number of people : watching the sports. Considerable interest was attached to the meeting on account of the number of new competitors, several of whom were looked upon as being likely to put up good times. notably J. H. Mead, L. J. Wishart and I. M. G. Taylor. Yesterday afternoon Mead and H. L. Garrett were both storters in the open 220 at the Royal Artillery sports, as mentioned in the report of the

not improve his chances for to-day. The following were the results: 120 Yards Flat Race-ist heat : A. V Barros 1: J. M. V. Remedios 2; 2nd heat: H. H. Remedios 1; H. L. Garrett 2 ; Ribeiro 3. Long Jump-R. F. C. Master, 19ft. 1; C. B. Down, 18ft. 4in. 2. High Jump-Wishart oft. lin. L. 220 Yards Flat Race-1st heat: N. H.

sports, but Garrett by falling heavily did

Alves 1 ; J. H. Mond 2 ; J. W. Bains 3. Final-N. H. Alves 1 : Moad 2. Time, 241 secs. Biovele Race: One mile. J Forbes 1; L. Le Breton 2; A. H. Carroll 3.

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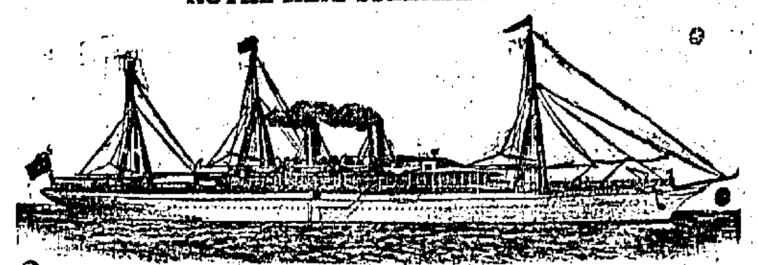
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VICTORIA, B.C., AND SEATTLE, WASH., Via SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.	† KAGA MARU, Capt. M.J. Curnow, Tons 6800 † TOSA MARU, Capt. K. Kato, Tons 5823	April, at 4 p.m.
SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, Via MANILA, THURS- DAY ISLAND, TOWNS- VILLE AND BRISBANE,	(Capt. E. W. Haswell, Tons 6539	(May, at Noon.
BOMBAY, via SINGAPORE, PENANG, MADRAS AND COLOMBO	Capt. Fred Pyne, Tons 5088	MONDAY, 15th April.
NAGASAKI, KUBE AND YOKOHAMA.	NIKKO MARU. Capt. E.W. Haswell, Tons 5539	WEDNESDAY, 17t
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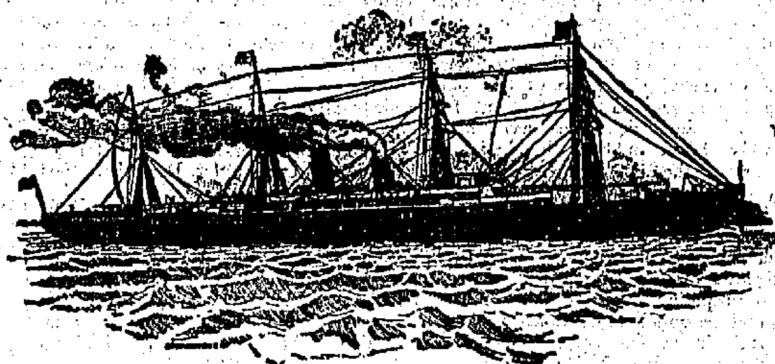
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	* KOREA18,000	SATURDAY, 1st June, at Noon.
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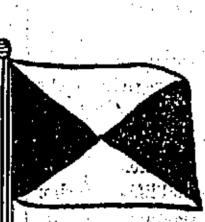
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ANILA, NEW-GUINEA, BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE	MANILA, Capt. J. Minssen,	THURSDAY, 25th April, at Noon.
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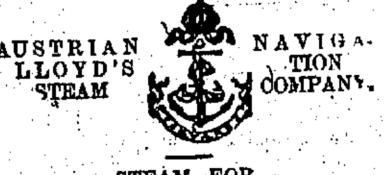
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For Freight and Passage, apply to D. SASSOON & Co., Liv., Hongkong, April 8, 1907."

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E. A. HEWETT, Superintendent. Hongkong, April 8, 1907.

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Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

EXCTUSIVE OF LATE ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES REPORTED TO-DAY.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessele near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloon shore k., and those in the body of the Shipping of midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections. Bection.

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4. From Harbour Master's to the Market.

6. From Poddar's Wharf to the Navai Yard.

Section. 7. From Naval Yard to Blue Building.

8. From Blue Buildings to East Point.
9. From Kellet's Island to North Point
10. Kowloon Wharves.
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Optional goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 6 Hours. Goods not cleared by the 18th last, at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever.

Damaged packages must be left in the USA. Godowns for examination by the Consignees' and the Co.'s representatives at an

THE TIMBER, INDUSTRY IN MANCHURIA.

Mr Hayashi, Japanese Minister to Pe king, paid a visit to H.E. Vicercy Yuan Shih-kai at Tientein some days ago for the purpose of conferring with him regarding the formation of a Chino-Japanese Syndicate for felling lumber on the Chinese side of the Yalu river in Southern Minchuria. The proposed syndicate is to have capital of The. 5,000,000 to be equally subscribed by Japanese and Chinese timber merchants and others in the two countries. According to a recent joint, petition presented to the Chinese Chamber of Commerce at Tientsin by the Chinese timber merchants there, the Chinese portion of the capital has already been subscribed by them for developing the vast lumber trade in South Manchuria. The capital is to be increased to Tls. 10,000,000 if the timber business proves prosperous in future. The Japanese Minister is consulting the Waiwupu at present about the drawing up of the necessary regulations for the preposed syndicate which is to be managed by an equal number of Japanese and Chinese Directors with equal powers, in order to avoid disputes in future. H. E. Chao, Tartar-General of Fengtien, has wired to the Waiwupu stating that, as the timber enterprise is in South Manchuris. the Chinese timber merchants at Mukden arrived, Consignees of Cargo are in the trade in the same way as their THE BANK OF TAIWAN, hereby informed that their Goods are being colleagues in Chihli Province, so that they landed at their risk into the hazardous may share the profits. In view of the and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the increased domand for timber for railway, HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND building and other purposes in the various Genows Co., Limited, whence delivery parts of China at the present moment, the proposed syndicate will surely provo a most profitable concern in course of time if PAID-UP CAPITALYEN 8,750,000. tant future between Japan and Chiua.

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S. SILVERSTONE, · -----Agent. Hongkong, April 12, 1907.

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THE KWANGTUNG FAMINE

Rice from Kwangsi.

(From a Correspondent.) CANTON, April 12.

An official letter has come to Canton from Ping Lok, in Kwang Sai, sent on b he Guild of Kwangtung merchants, which it is said that there are in that district considerable quantities of rice, more than will be needed for local consumption, and suggesting that stops be at once taken to have somer-transported into the. lower Province. It seems that this is a task by no morns easy. First of all the Governor of Kwangsi must be approached, and he must give his consent, ere anything of the kind can be done. Then the Viceroy of Canton must write out papers giving freedom of pass to those who will go up onto Kwangsi to get the rice. When these matters are settled though fortunately to-day they can be settled by telegraph, it is hoped that the present pressure will be considerably eased. The quantity available is said to be no less than two hundred thousand sheks. A shek, if regarded as a dry measure, is a 100 pints; if as a weight connotes 120 catties. The amount therefore is considerable any way. It would seem as if in the inner district rice is still stored up as in olden days, in cases of emergency, for the tone of the despatch seems to indicate that this mass is in store, and a reference is made as to its being spoiled if it is kept much longer, where,

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and as it is.

So much has been said against the policy of the British in Egypt that considerable interest naturally attaches to any testimony coming from an absolutely independent nource. Mr A. B. de Guerville, a Frenchman, who is the author of a book called "New Egypt" is hardly likely to be an Anglophile. Yet in the February number of "the "Fortnightly Review" he writes

I have passed the last two winters in Egypt and the Soudan; and have been in daily contact with all classes of the population there, studying the subject with the greatest interest and the most absolute impartiality. Now, I have arrived at the conclusion that from the bottom to the top of the social scale the inhabitants of the country, the very great majority of the inhabitants, recognize the work achieved by England, pay her a real debt of gratitude for their present prosperity, and are perfectly satisfied with the existing state of of things. Of this there cannot be any doubt.

We find Egypt rich and prosperous; a great portion of her debt paid, an admirably adjusted budget; her revenues increasing enormously, regularly every year-and that in the face of large and important public works, works which daily augment the wealth of the country. Agriculture is advancing by leaps and bounds, while commerce and industry develop and increase with a rapidity unparalleled in the history of the world. A well-organized network of railroads, steam navigation, tolegraphs, telepliones, and excellently maintained canals, spreads over the country. Schools of every kind have been opened -- primary, secondary. and higher schools, technical, commercial, and medical schools. The fellah works quietly and happily on his land, and the townsman is growing rich, while business prospers increasingly for one end of the country to the other. From the mouths of the Nile, from Alexandria to the great lakes of central Africa, all across Egypt, Nubia, and the Sudan, peace and quiet reign everywhere. And-strange as may seem-all these results have been obtained, not by increasing the taxes, but, on the contrary, by reducing, and even some cases abolishing them altogether.

> SUNDAY, APRIL 14th, 1907. CHURCH SERVICES.

St. John's Cathedral.

BUNDAY, 2ND AFTER EASTER, . Holy Communion (7.30 s.m.)

Matins (11 a.m.) Responses, Festival; Venite, Elvey; Psalms, of the 14th morning; To Doum, Woodward, Smart and Turle; Benedictus, Langdon; Hymns, 504,

267 and 127. Evensong (5.45 p.m.) (Full Choir). Responses, Festival; Psalms, of the 14th evening; Magnificat and Nune Dimi tis, Walmisley in O minor : Ar "Awake up my Glory."-Barnby; Hymns, 138 and 27; Voluntary, Concert Overture. - E flat Evry. Sevenfold Amen.

St Andrew's Church. (Robinson Road, near British School, Kowloon), SUNDAY 2ND AFTER EASTER,

Holy Communion: -8 am. Morning prayer and vermon:-11 a.m. (Preacher Rov. F. T. Johnson). Evening prayer and sermon :-- 6 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, in Holy Week :-

Holy Communion: -at 8 a.m. Short Evening Service with reading at 6 p.m. (Ohoir practices at 6.45 p.m.)

Union Church, Kennedy Road. Prescher: Rev. McIntire. 11 a.m.: - Hymn 135, Psalm 115, Anthem 225, Hymns 135, 160,

6 p.m.:--Hymn 393, Psalm 112, Anthem 226, Hymne 392, 617. ACREMS OF MINISTERIAL SUPPLY FOR

March to September, 1907. March.-Rev. I ewis B. Hillis, Manila. April & May .- Rev. Walter O McIntyre. Dumaguete, Philippine Islands. June 2, 9, 16, Rev. T. H. Caren, Canton 23. Mr. J. L. McPherson, M. A.; 30 Rov. T. H. Caren, Canton.

July-Rev. T. Robinson, Canton. August-Rev. W. Ellison, Canton. Sept. 1, 8, 15, Rev. T. H. Caren, Canton; cognized. 22, Mr J. L. McPherson, M.A.; 29, Rev. T. H. Caren, Canton.

St. Peter's Church, Queen's Road · West.

2nd sunday after easter, Morning Prayer 11 a.m. Holy Communion (7.30). Yenite, Elvey; Te Deum, Oakeley;

Benedictus, Troutback; Hymns, 9 201, 458, 415. Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m.

Magnificat, Havergal; Nunc Dimittis, Foster ; Hymns, 11, 295, 409, 24. "The Church launch "Dayspring" will call on ships carrying white crews between 9.15 and 10.30 a.m. and between 5.16 and 6 p.m., (Kowloon Police Pior 10.30 and 6), recurning afterwards The "answering penuant" is the Call flag. All the sittings are free and unappropriated. Visitors we come. Books, &c., provided. Sanday School 10-10.45 a.m.



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April 13, Prinzess Alice, Sikh. The M. M. Co.'s a camer Salarit, with the FRENCH MAIL of the 15th March, left For NINGPO & SHANGHAL. or about Monday, the 15th April.

ABRIVAIS AT HOME.

noon, and may be expected here on This packet brings replies to letters For CALLAU (Peru) .despatched from Hongkong on the 9th Waldemar left Sydney on Wednesday,

the 10th April, at 6 p.m., and may be expected here on or about May 1st. The C. P. R. Co.'s steamer Monteagle left Vancouver for Hongkong via the usual ports of call on Saturday, the 6th

Steamers Expected. The s.s. Denbighshire left Singapore on April 7th, and is due here on or about April 14th, a.m. The N. Y. K. s.s. Ceylon Maru (Bombay) Line) left Mojl for this port on the 9th April, and is expected here on

the 14th April, The s.s. Senegambia left Singapore on 9th April, at 1 p.m., and may be expected here on 14th April, p.m. The Boston Tow Boat Co.'s s.s. Lyra sailed from Manila on 11th April, and may

be expected here on 14th April. The N. Y. K. s.s. Iyo Maru (European Line) left Shanghai for this port on the 12th April, and is expected here on the 15th April.

The C. P. R. Co.'s 8:8. Tartar left Yokohama for Vancouver on Saturday, the 6th April, p.m.
The e.s. Kuisang, from Calcutta and The Straits, left Singapore for this port on Monday, the 8th April, at 6 p.m.

682 The s.s. Lightning, from Calcutta, left Singapore on the morning of 12th April, and may be expected here on or about the 17th April. The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s s.s. Laisang

Straits on the 10th April, and may be Spreegen, Z. Y. de Aldeces, Tillatjap, expected here on or about 25th April.

Latest Advices.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Nikko Maru (Australian Line), left Manila for this port on the 13 h April, and is expected here on the 15th April. The N. Y. K. S.S. Yawata Maru (Australian Line) left Nagasaki for this port on the 12th April, and is expected at Yokohama on the 11th April. The silk ex C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress On Paris-Thursday, the 14th March, arrived in New York on Wednesday, the 10th On Berlin-

days | m Hongkong. The N. D. L. s.s. Borneo which left here on April 2nd, arrived at Sandakan on Friday, the 12th April. The N. Y. K. a.s. Kamakura Maru (Europeau Line) left lingapore for this port on the 12th April, and is expected Op Calcuttahere on the 18th April. The N. Y. K. s.s. Kaga Maru (American 'Line) left Kobe for this port via Moii On Singapore-

Friedrich which left here on Wednes- on Shanghalday, the 10th April, arrived at Shang- On demand, 721 hai on Saturday, the 13th April, at 1 80 days' sight, (private paper) ... 788 On Yokohama--the 26th April.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. April 12.

Floriston, British steamer, 2,845, Geo. Lawrie, Cardiff March 1, Patent Fuel.— Admirality. Amara, British str., 1,664, C. J. Mat- Mr L. Birret tock, Saigon April 8, Rice, - Janning, Mr R. J. Birbeck MATHEBON & Co.

Zoroaster, British str., 2,376, J. Ewan,

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lew York, Aden; and Singapore, April 6. General.—Dodwell & Co., I.D. Suez, Russian steamer, 1,305, Klousen, Saigo April 8, Rico .- Algland, Thone BEN & Co.

Telemachus, British steamor, 1,340, Jas. Williamson, Saigon April 8, Rice and Mr.M. O. Sark General.—Chinese. Nanchang, British str., 1,040, Graves Chinking April 8, General, -Burrenfield

Yochoto, British str., from Canton.

DEPARTURES. April 13. Zafiro, for Manila. Hongwan I, for Amoy. 585 | Canton Maru, for Saigon. Dagny, for Canton Sullberg, for Canton. Reongwai, for Swatow.

Hupeh, for Saigon.

Helene, for Hothow.

Sandakan, for Holbow.

Hongkong, for Hoihow. Kyoto Maru, for Saigon. CLEARED Soshu Maru, for Swatow. Poone, for Shanghai. Derwent, for Saigon. Nissin Maru, for Saigon. Baitan, for Swatow. Masan Maru, for Swatow. Blackheath, for Yokohama.

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POST OFFICE NOTICES. Mails will close: ---

For SWATOW, AMOY, FOOCHOW & Per Soshu Maru, at 8 a.m., on Sunday, Mr E. Howard the 14th April, For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. Per Haitan, at 9 a.m., on Monday, the Mr O. P. Joaquim Mr J. B. Wishart 15th April,

For MACAO. Per Sui Tai, at 1.15 p.m., on Monday, the loth April. For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-Per Japan, at 2 p.m., on Monday, the 15th April.

For SWATOW & SHANGHAL. Per Kweilin, at 3 p.m., on Monday, the 15th April. For SWATOW, NINGPO & SHANGHAI. Per Hangsang, at 5 p.m., on Monday,

Per Yochow, at 3 p.m., on Monday, the 15th April.

Per Lothian, at 10 a.m., on Tuesday, Mr George Curry the 16th April. German Mail s.s. Prinz For SINGAPORE, SAMARANG SOURABAYA.-Per Fooksang, at 2 p.m., on Tuesday, the 16th April. For MANILA.-

Per Tean, at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, the 16th For UHEFOO & NEWCHWANG. the 16th April.

For SWATOW, AMOY & ANPING .-Per Fukushu Maru, at 6 p.m., on Tuesday, the 16th April. For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CO-LOMBO.-Per Iyo Maru, at 5 p.m., on Tuesday, Miss A. B. Jenks

the 16th April. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet Mongolia will be despatched on TUESDAY, Miss R. Barber the 16th April, with Mails for Shang. Mr and Mrs Barbey hai, Japan, Honolulu, San Francisco, Mr W. A. Burrott United States, Canada, Peru, &c., Mrs E. Barton which will be closed at follows: Printed Matter and Samples at 9 a.m.

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Hononone, April 13, 1907. Bank, Wire, 2/13 Mr and Mrs C. Boyd Mr R. F. Recher Documentary, 4 months' sight, ... 9/118 Mr J. W. Hays of Japan which left Hongkong on On demand, 2664 Oredits, 4 months' sight, ... 2691 Mr Arnold April, thus miking a transit of 27 On demand, 2151 Mr S. J. Bolden On New York-On demand, 511 Oredita 60 days' sight, 52 On Bombay--Wiro, 1551 On demand, 156 Mrs Holm On demand, 158 and Shanghai on the 12th April, and is On demand, 111XP. Mr.E. E. Bane Eug. Capt. J. Feilder 29.85 expected here on the 18th April. On Manila — Mr E. M. Burkham Mr A. J. Hall 29.80 The Imp. German Mail s.s. Prinz Eilel On demand, Pesos... ... 102; Dr Jas. Deummond Mrs E. Wilson

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HR. O. and M. Steamboat Co., Lindo-China S. N. Company. Limite	80,000	\$ 15	\$ 15	\$37 1 , buyers \$29, sales
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China Sugar Company, Limited Lucon Sugar Company, Limited	20,000 7,000		oil	\$115 sellers
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Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Elmited	60,000		100 Tig. 50	\$106, buyers
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The Peak Tramways Co., Ed.,,,,,,,	75,000			\$ 10 i
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Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd Astor House Hotel Ltd. (Tienwin,	12,000		all Lis.50	\$ 118
Antor House Hotel Co., Etc. (our	∙ 30,0 ∿	6 25	\$ 25	\$ 30
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited Watkins Limited	10,000	5 10	9 10	\$12 <u>1, sales</u> \$3 <u>1, buyers</u>
HK. and Chins Gas Co., Elmiosd Shanghai Gas Company, Etd Hongkong Electric Co., Elmited	-1 8.0m	llia. bu	TTR-DA	\$175, buyers Tis. 1221 \$16, buye s
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Hongkong Ice Company, himiced - Shanghai Waterworks Co., Lides -	7,200	£ 20	£ 2J	Fls. 345, old
H kong Rope Manufactory Co., E. Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., E.	125,000	š 10	∯ TA	\$20, sales & baye \$12
Ewo Cotton Spinning and Welve	20,000		ria 50	
International Cotton Manufacture	10,000			Tls. 62 <u>}</u>
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On Ed	4,200	8 1u	8 12	\$10, saliers \$30, sallers
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South China Morning Post	6,000 60,00	\$ 25	₽ 10	825 884, sellers
Deam Laundry Company, Limited.	Th' '1	•		\$61, buyers
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